FINDINGS OF FACT AND CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

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This matter comes before the Zoning Commissioner as a Petition for Special Exception and a Petition for Zoning Variance filed by May C. Brewer, by and through her attorney, Newton A. Williams, Esquire. The Petitioner requests approval to use the subject property as a service garage in combination with the existing office and residential uses thereon, and variance relief from Sections 409.8.A.2 and A.6, and 405.A.2 of the Baltimore County Zoning Regulations (B.C.Z.R.) to permit a crushed stone surface in lieu of the required striped, durable and dustless surface, all as more particularly described on Petitioner's Exhibit 1

Appearing on behalf of the Petitions were Walter L. Brewer, Jr., legal owner of the subject site. He was represented by Newton A. Williams, Esquire. Also appearing on behalf of the Petitions were Eugene F. Raphel, Registered Professional Land Surveyor, and Stephen Rhine, Sr. who leases the subject property. There were no Protestants.

Testimony indicated that the subject property, known as 9704 Williams Park Road, consists of 0.38 acres, more or less, zoned M.L.-I.M., and is improved with a two-story dwelling which has office space. The Petitioner filed the instant Petitions to legitimize existing conditions and uses on the property. Testimony indicated that the Petitioner purchased the property in 1977 at which time it was used as a retail outlet for swimming pools. Mr. Brewer testified that he obtained a permit for a change in occupancy in 1982 to convert a portion of the existing dwelling into office space for his plumbing business. Subsequently, he relocated his plumbing business to York Road and leased the subject property to Mr. Rhine in 1991.

Mr. Rhine testified that he resides on the property and operates a towing business from the site. He stated that he has been in the towing business since 1975 and primarily serves automobile dealerships and apartment complexes along the York Road corridor. Mr. Rhine believes that the subject property is an ideal site for his towing business due to its location and the nature of the surrounding uses. Testimony indicated that Mr. Rhine is in the process of obtaining a license from the Baltimore County Police Department to tow accident and abandoned vehicles. Mr. Rhine testified that he keeps four tow trucks on the site and that they are stored in the storage area to the rear of the dwelling. He indicated that vehicles towed to the site are kept on the rear lot for a limited period of time. Mr. Rhine stated that no body or fender work is performed on the site. He testified that the rear of the property is paved with a crushed stone surface that is well-compacted and provides good drainage. Testimony indicated that this surface is of sufficient depth to support the vehicles utilizing this site.

The Department of Public Works and the Office of Planning submitted comments as part of the Zoning Advisory Committee report. The Department of Public Works recommended that Williams Park Road be widened to a minimum width of 16 feet to accommodate the traffic generated by the use on this site and that the Petitioner erect a chain link fence around the parameter of the property. The Office of Planning recommended certain

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landscaping to screen the property from adjoining uses. In response to those comments, Mr. Rhine testified that he would rather install a wooden fence with a row of trees in lieu of the suggested chain link fence to provide screening of the subject site from adjoining properties. However, he is agreeable to whatever landscaping is proposed by the County landscape planner. Mr. Rhine further testified that Williams Park Road is only used by himself and his adjoining neighbor, James Hom, and that widening the road to the extent required by the regulations would be unreasonably burdensome. Testimony and evidence presented indicated that the subject access road is owned by Mr. Hom and is currently 15 feet wide.

In the opinion of this Zoning Commissioner, the Petitioner's request to substitute a wooden fence with trees for the recommended chain link fencing would be more aesthetically pleasing and more effective in terms of screening the property from adjoining neighbors. However, I will leave the details of the landscaping plan to the County's landscape planner. In addition, thetestimony was clear that only the Petitioner and his neighbor, Mr. Hom, use Williams Park Road, which is a private road owned by Mr. Hom. In my view, the road is of sufficient width to handle the limited traffic generated by the Petitioner's use of the property and widening of the road is not warranted.

It is clear that the B.C.Z.R. permits the use proposed in a M.L.-I.M. zone by special exception. It is equally clear that the proposed use would not be detrimental to the primary uses in the vicinity. Therefore, must be determined if the conditions as delineated in Section 502.1 are satisfied.

The Petitioner had the burden of adducing testimony and evidence which would show that the proposed use met the prescribed standards and

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requirements set forth in Section 502.1 of the E.C.Z.R. The Petitioner has shown that the proposed use would be conducted without real detriment to the neighborhood and would not adversely affect the public interest. The facts and circumstances do not show that the proposed use at the particular location described by Petitioner's Exhibit 1 would have any adverse impact above and beyond that inherently associated with such a special exception use, irrespective of its location within the zone. Schultz v. Pritts, 432 A.2d 1319 (1981).

The proposed use will not be detrimental to the health, safety, or general welfare of the locality, nor tend to create congestion in roads, streets, or alleys therein, nor be inconsistent with the purposes of the property's zoning classification, nor in any other way be inconsistent with the spirit and intent of the B.C.Z.R.

After reviewing all of the testimony and evidence presented, it appears that the special exception should be granted with certain restrictions as more fully described below.

An area variance may be granted where strict application of the zoning regulations would cause practical difficulty to the Petitioner and his property. McLean v. Soley, 270 Md. 208 (1973). To prove practical difficulty for an area variance, the Petitioner must meet the following:

> whether strict compliance with requirement would unreasonably prevent the use of the property for a permitted purpose or render conformance unnecessarily burdensome;

2) whether the grant would do substantial injustice to applicant as well as other property owners in the district or whether a lesser relaxation than that applied for would give substantial relief; and

3) whether relief can be granted in such fashion that the spirit of the ordinance will be observed and public safety and welfare secured.

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Anderson v. Bd. of Appeals, Town of Chesapeake Beach, 22 Md. App. 28

It is clear from the testimony that if the variance is granted, such use, as proposed, will not be contrary to the spirit of the B.C.Z.R. and will not result in any injury to the public good.

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Pursuant to the advertisement, posting of the property, and public hearing on these Petitions held, and for the reasons given above, the relief requested in the special exception and variance should be granted.

THEREFORE, IT IS ORDERED by the Zoning Commissioner for Baltimore County this 100 day of November, 1992 that the Petition for Special Exception to use the subject property as a service garage in combination with the existing office and residential uses thereon, be and is hereby GRANTED, subject to the restrictions set forth hereinafter; and

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the Petition for Zoning Variance requesting relief from Sections 409.8.A.2 and A.6, and 405.A.2 of the Baltimore County Zoning Regulations (B.C.Z.R.) to permit a stone surface in lieu of the required striped, durable and dustless surface, in accordance with Petitioner's Exhibit 1, be and is hereby GRANTED, subject to the following restrictions:

> 1) The Petitioners may apply for their building permit and be granted same upon receipt of this Order; however, Petitioners are hereby made aware that proceeding at this time is at their own risk until such time as the 30-day appellate process from this Order has expired. If, for whatever reason, this Order is reversed, the Petitioners would be required to return, and be responsible for returning, said property to its original condition.

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4) When applying for any permits, the site plan and/ or landscaping plan filed must reference this case and set forth and address the restrictions of this Order.

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Zoning Commissioner for Baltimore County

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November 17, 1992

Suite 113 Courthouse 400 Washington Avenue Towson, MD 21204

(410) 887-4386

Newton A. Williams, Esquire 210 W. Pennsylvania Avenue, Suite 700 Towson, Maryland 21204

RE: PETITIONS FOR SPECIAL EXCEPTION AND ZONING VARIANCE W/S Williams Park Road, 200' N of Old Padonia Road (9407 Williams Park Road) 8th Election District - 3rd Councilmanic District May C. Brewer, et al - Petitioners Case No. 93-102-XA

Dear Mr. Williams:

Enclosed please find a copy of the decision rendered in the above-captioned matter. The Petitions for Special Exception and Zoning Variance have been granted in accordance with the attached Order.

In the event any party finds the decision rendered is unfavorable, any party may file an appeal to the County Board of Appeals within thirty (30) days of the date of this Order. For further information on filing an appeal, please contact Ms. Charlotte Radcliffe at 887-3351.

LAWRENCE E. SCHMIDT

cc: People's Counsel

Zoning Commissioner for Baltimore County This Petition shall be filed with the Office of Zening Administration & Development Management.

The undersigned, legal owner(s) of the property situate in Saltimore County and which is described in the description and plet attached

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93-102-XA Petition for Special Exception to the Zoning Commissioner of Baltimore County

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Property is to be posted and advertised as prescribed by Zoning Regulations. i, or we, agree to pay expenses of above Special Exception advertising, posting, etc., upon filing of this petition, and further agree to and are to be bound by the zoning regulations and restrictions of Baltimore County adopted pursuant to the Zoning Law for Baltimore County.

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Arnold Jablon Director Zoning Administration and Development Management Baltimore County Office Building Towson, MD 21204

RE: Property Owner: MAY C. BREWER

#9704 WILLIAMS PARK ROAD Location:

Item No.: +107 (JLL) Zoning Agenda: OCTOBER 5, 1992

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Zoning Issue

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Meeting Date

Maryland Department of Transportation State Highway Administration

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Thank you for the opportunity to review this item.

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ZONING OFFICE

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DATE: November 2, 1992

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Office of Zoning Administration and Development Management

INTER-OFFICE CORRESPONDENCE

TO: Arnold Jablon, Director DATE: October 19, 1992 Zoning Administration & Development Management

FROM: Pat Keller, Deputy Director Office of Planning and Zoning

SUBJECT: Walter L. Brewer Property

Item Number:

May C. Brewer

Variance, Special Exception

SUMMARY OF RECOMMENDATIONS: The petitioner is requesting a Special Exception to allow a service garage in an ML-IN zone and a variance to permit unstriped stone paving in lieu of the required striped, durable, dustless surface.

The Office of Planning and Zoning recommends that the following conditions be met. Requirements of the landscape manual have not been met. Screening from adjacent residentially used property must have a 10' wide planting strip containing class A screening. The Office of Planning and Zoning recommends that a final landscape

Also, hardship or practical difficulty has not been demonstrated in providing the required striped, durable, dustless paving. Stone paving must be maintained to prevent soil erosion and soil compaction.

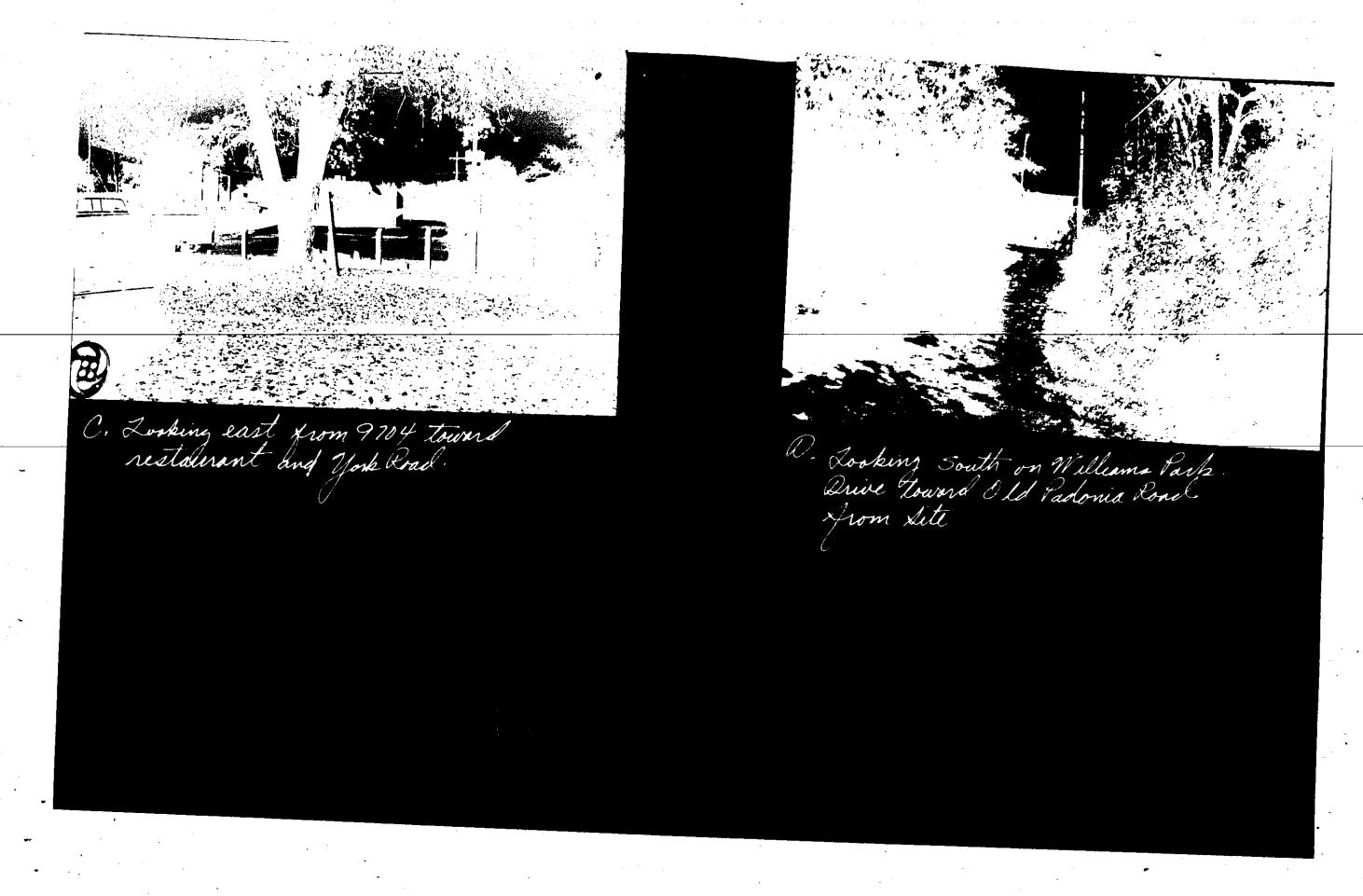
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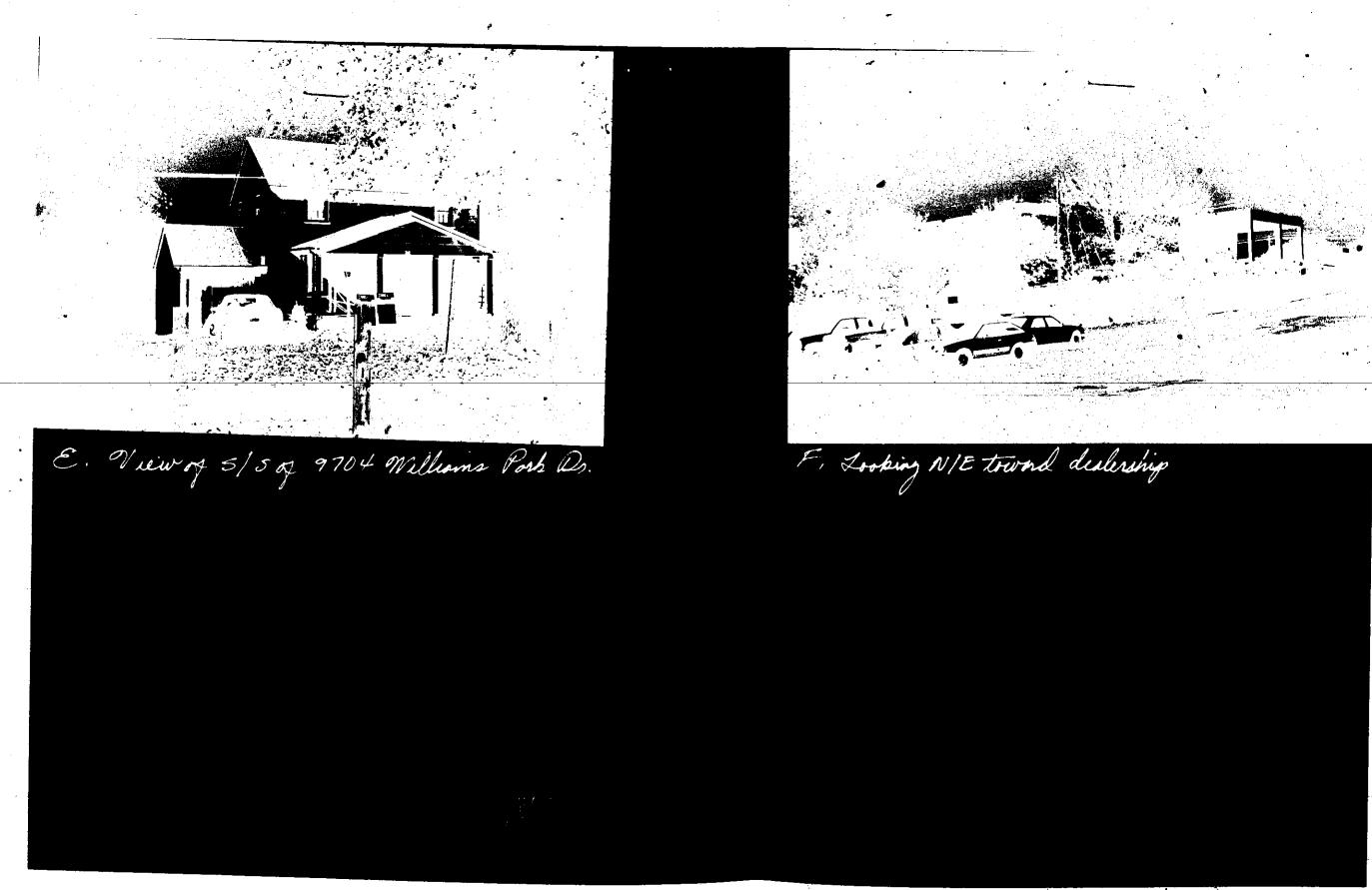
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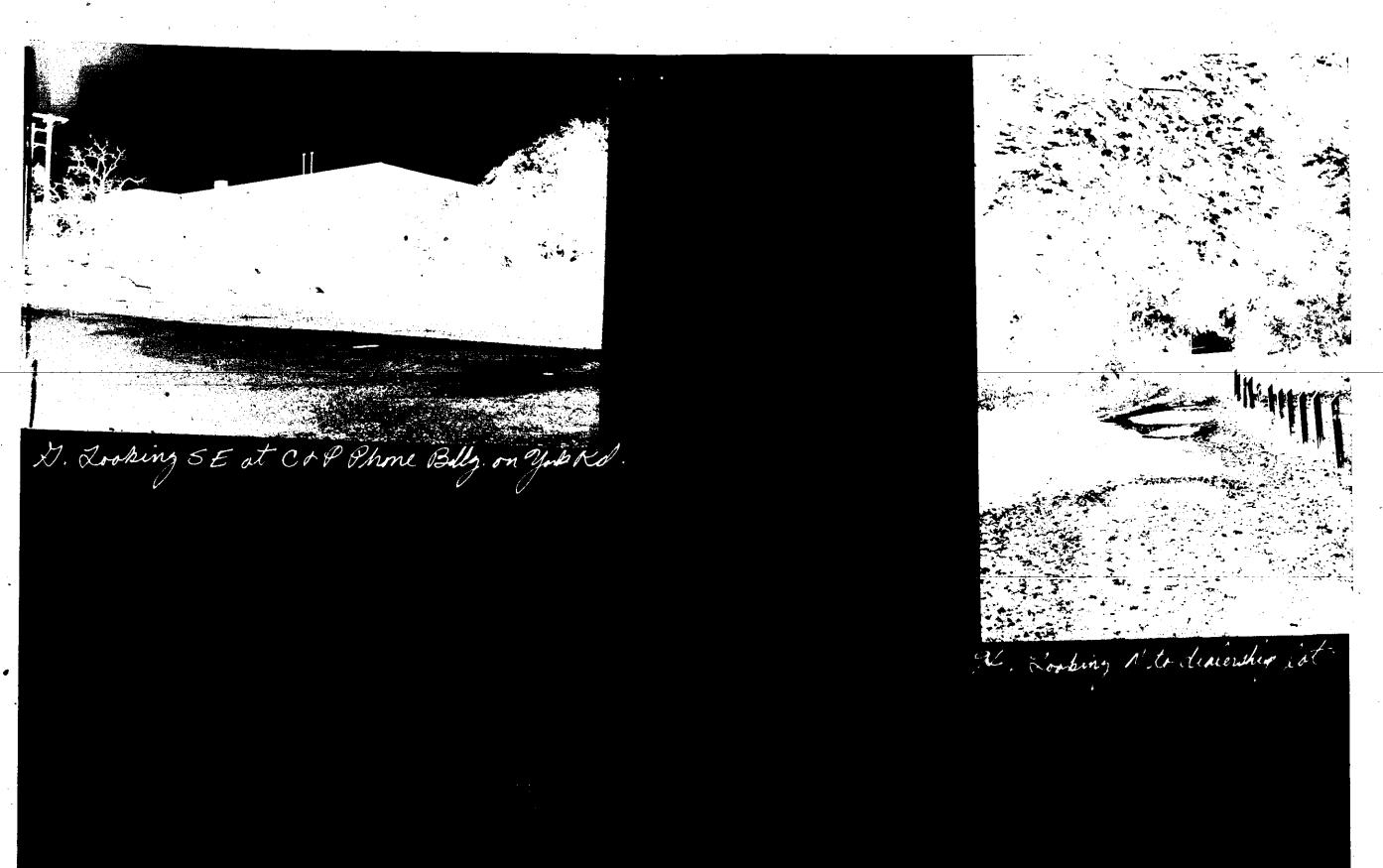
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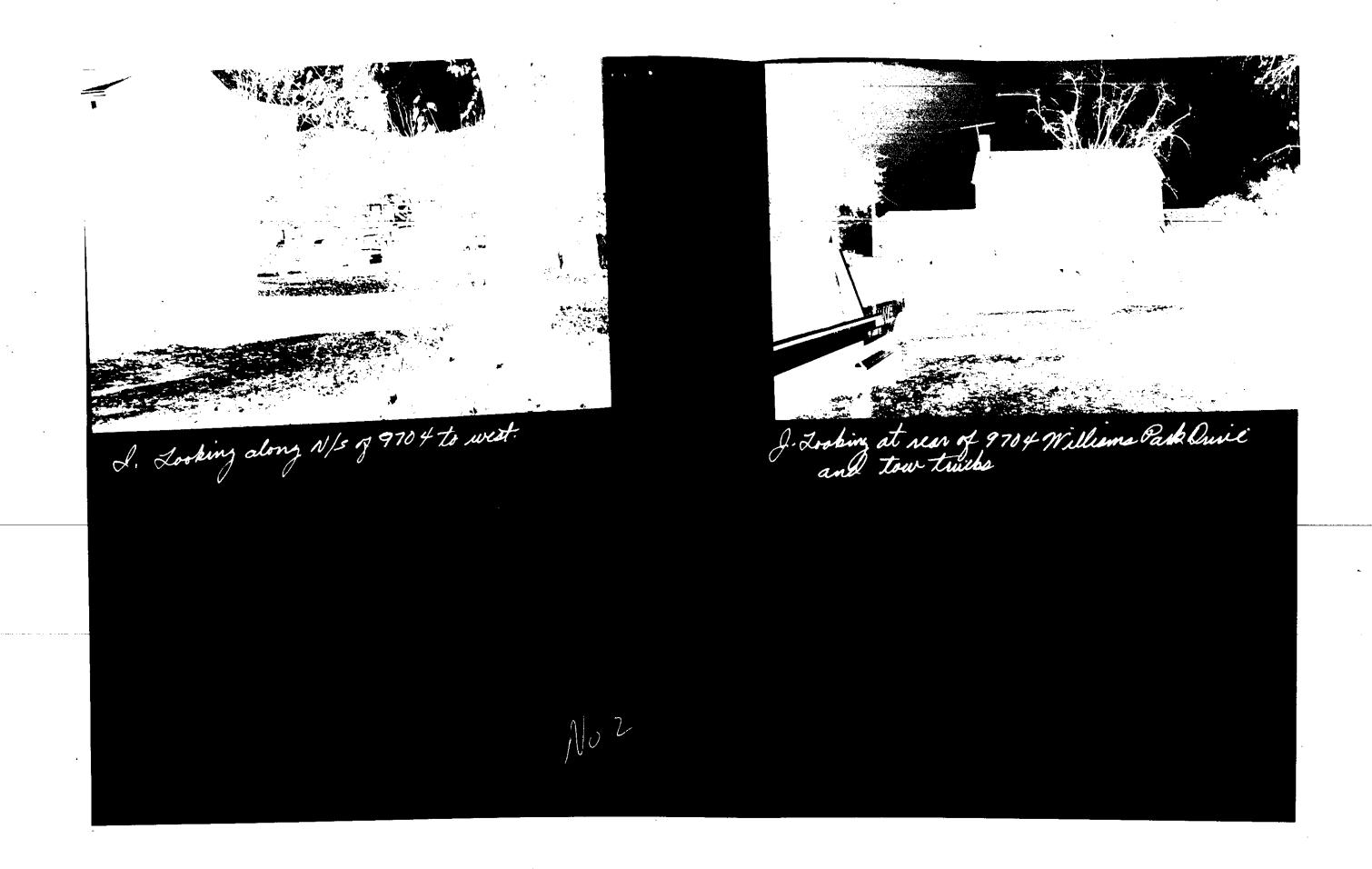
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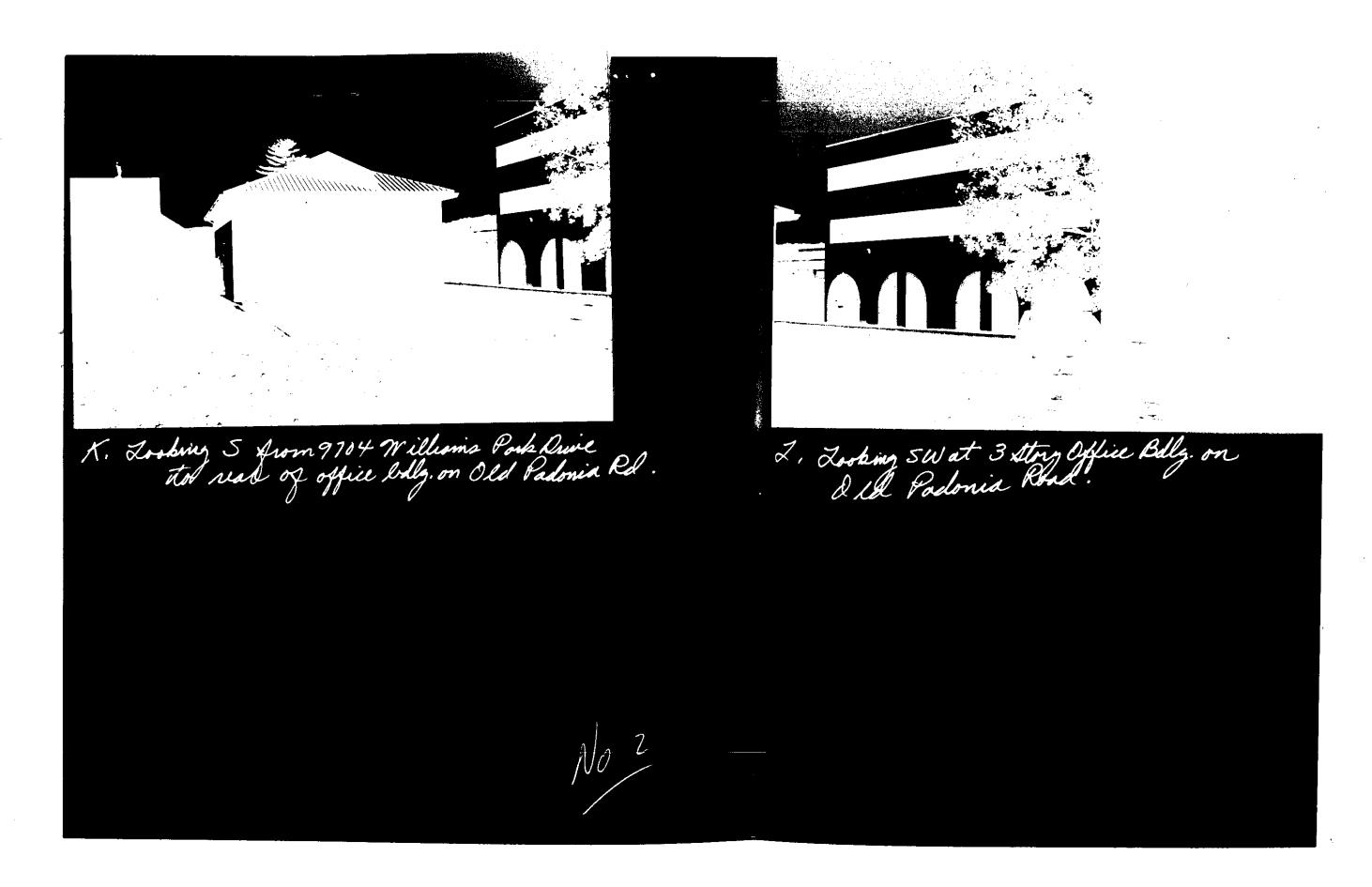




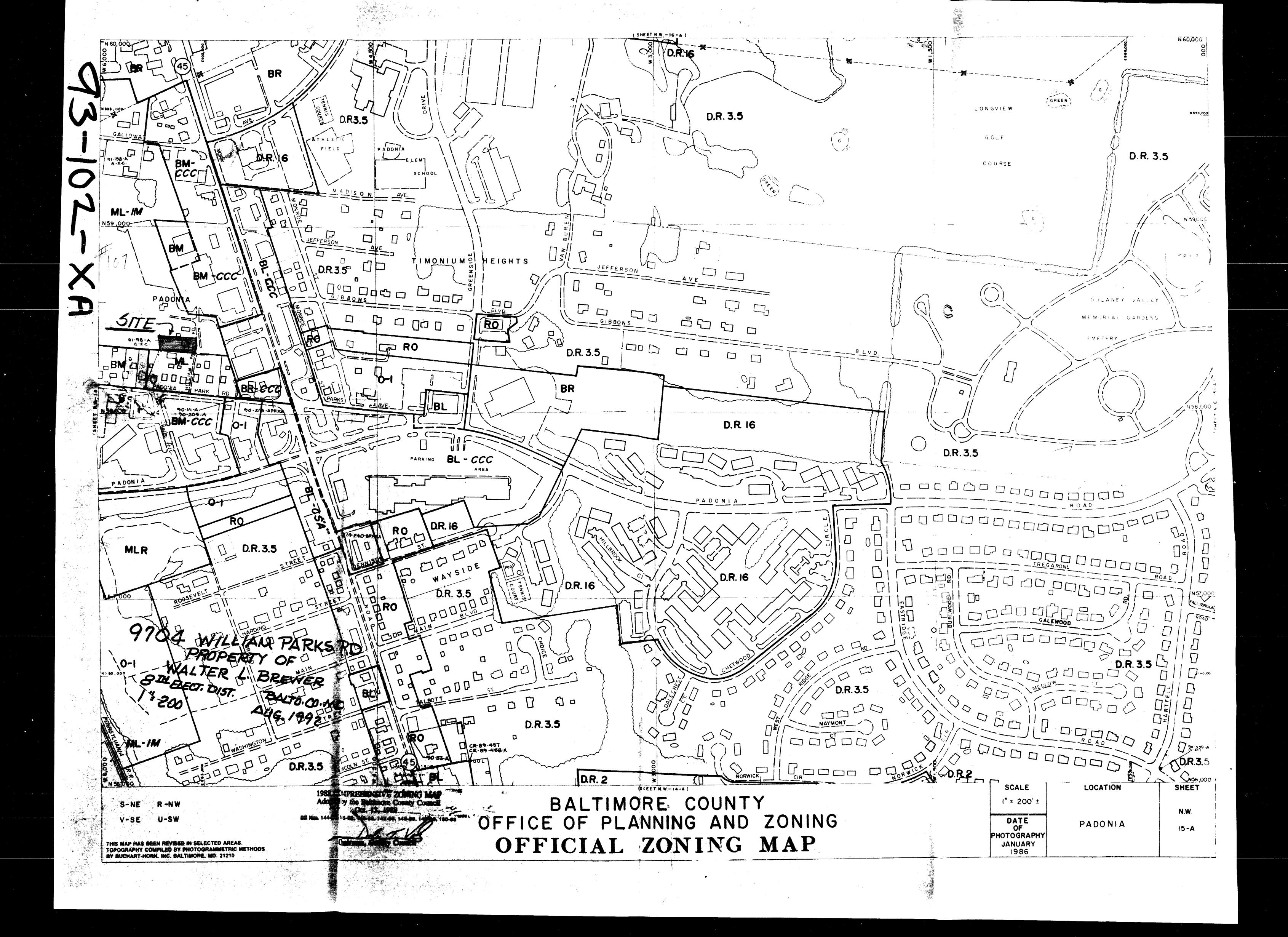














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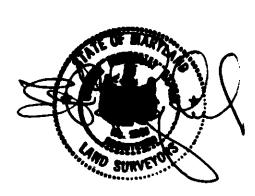
93-02-XA E. F. RAPHEL & ASSOCIATES Registered Professional Land Surveyors 205 COURTLAND AVENUE TOWSON, MARYLAND 21204

DESCRIPTION TO ACCOMPANY ZONING PETITION #9704 WILLIAM PARKS ROAD

August 25, 1992

Beginning for the same at a point on the west side of a 15' private right of way, known as William Parks Road, said point being located N 78° 03' 30" W 550' ± along the north right of way of Old Padonia Road, and N 110 56' 30" E 200' along the west side of the 15' private right of way, known as William Parks Road, from the intersection formed by the center line of York Road, and the northern right of way line of Old Padonia Road, thence leaving said 15' right of way and running the 5 following courses and distances; 1) N 78° W 178.00', 2) N 5° 13' E 84.59', 3) S 78° E 200.00', to the west side of said 15' right of way, thence on west side of said 15' right of way, 4) S 5° 13' W 56.00' and 5) S 45° 17' W 33.98' to the place of beginning.

Containing 0.38 Acres ± . Being known as #9704 Williams Parks Road.



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THIS IS TO CERTIFY, that the annexed advertisement was published in THE JEFFERSONIAN, a weekly newspaper published in Towson, Baltimore County, Md., once in each of ______ weeks, the first publication appearing on $\frac{D}{Q}$, 19 $\frac{42}{2}$

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Dear Petitioner(s):

Please be advised that \$ 99.33 is due for advertising and posting of the above captioned

THIS FEE HUST BE PAID AND THE ZONING SIGN & POST SET(S) RETURNED ON THE DAY OF THE HEARING OR THE ORDER SHALL NOT ISSUE. DO NOT REMOVE THE SIGN & POST SET(S) FROM THE PROPERTY UNTIL THE DAY OF THE HEARING.

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Baltimore County Government Office of Zoning Administration and Development Management Office of Planning & Zoning

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NOTICE OF HEARING

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NOTE: HEARINGS ARE HANDICAPPED ACCESSIBLE; FOR SPECIAL ACCOMPRIATIONS PLEASE CALL 867-3353.

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> RE: Item No. 107, Case No. 93-102-XA Petitioner: May C. Brewer Petition for Variance & Special Exception

Dear Mr. Williams:

The Zoning Plans Advisory Committee (ZAC) has reviewed the plans submitted with the above referenced petition. The attached comments from each reviewing agency are not intended to indicate the appropriateness of the zoning action requested, but to assure that all parties, i.e. Zoning Commissioner, attorney and/or the petitioner, are made aware of plans or problems with regard to the proposed improvements that may have a bearing on this case.

Enclosed are all comments submitted thus far from the members of ZAC that offer or request information on your petition. If additional comments are received from other members of ZAC, I will forward them to you. Otherwise, any comment that is not informative will be placed in the hearing file. This petition was accepted for filing on the date of the enclosed filing certificate and a hearing scheduled accordingly.

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Your petition has been received and accepted for filing this

Zoning Plans Advisory Committee

Petitioner: May C. Brewer Petitioner's Attorney: Newton A. Williams

22nd day of September, 1992.

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TO: Arnold Jablon, Director DATE: October 19, 1992 Zoning Administration & Development Management

FROM: Pat Keller, Deputy Director Office of Planning and Zoning

SUBJECT: Walter L. Brewer Property

Item Number:

May C. Brewer

Variance, Special Exception

SUMMARY OF RECOMMENDATIONS: The petitioner is requesting a Special Exception to allow a service garage in an ML-IN zone and a variance to permit unstriped stone paving in lieu of the required striped, durable, dustless surface.

The Office of Planning and Zoning recommends that the following conditions be met. Requirements of the landscape manual have not been met. Screening from adjacent residentially used property must have a 10' wide planting strip containing class A screening. The Office of Planning and Zoning recommends that a final landscape

Also, hardship or practical difficulty has not been demonstrated in providing the required striped, durable, dustless paving. Stone paving must be maintained to prevent soil erosion and soil compaction.

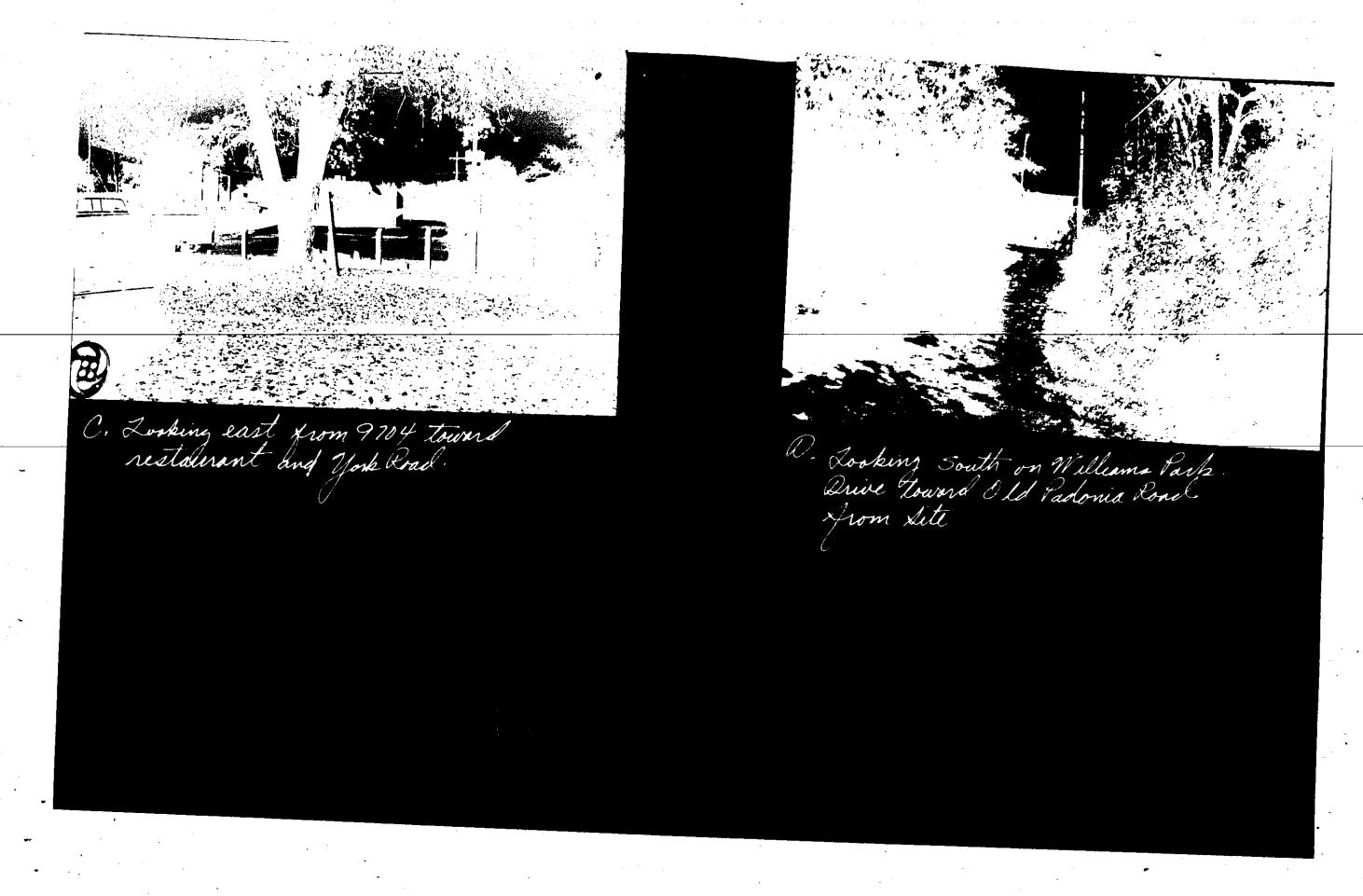
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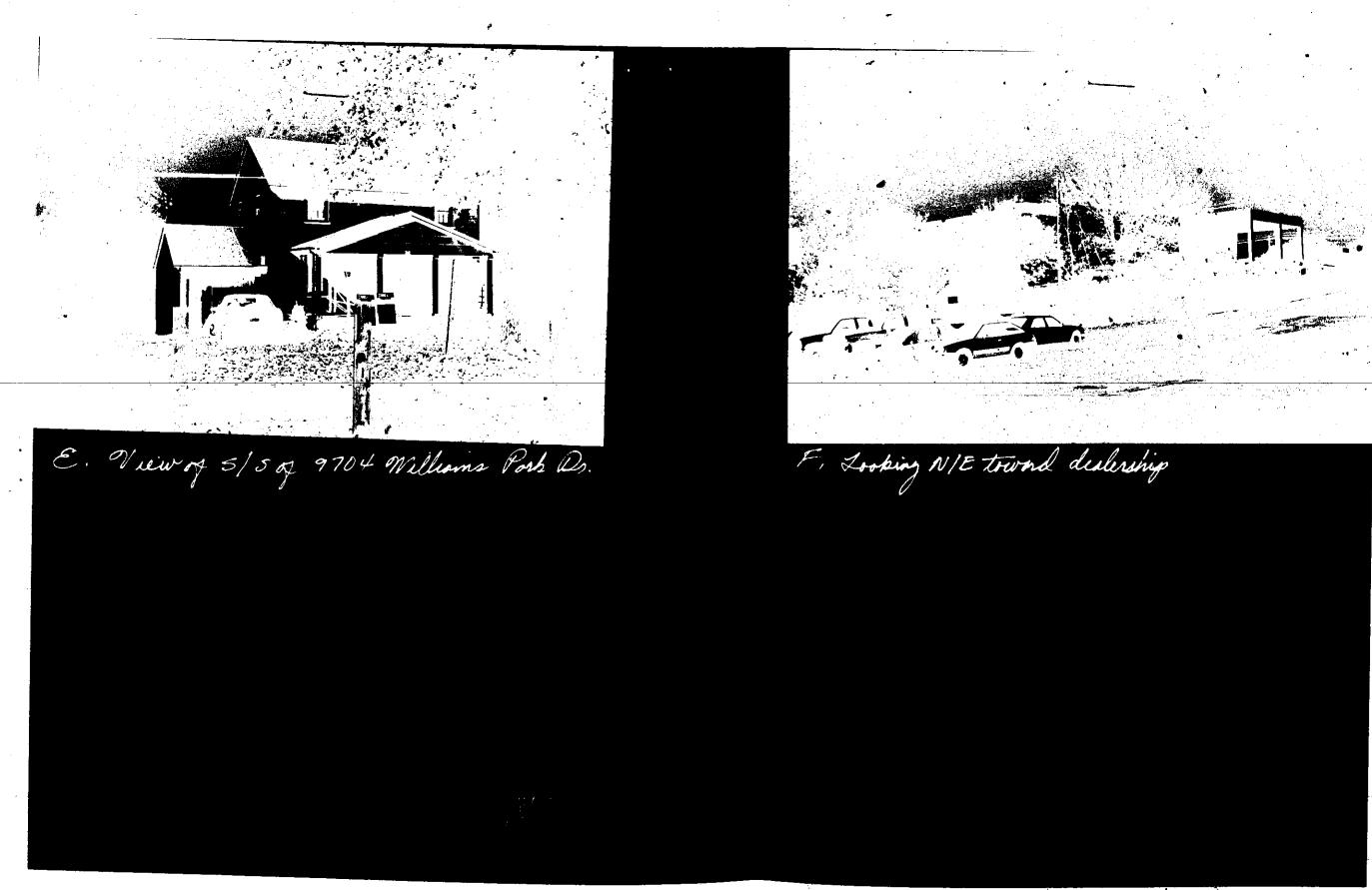
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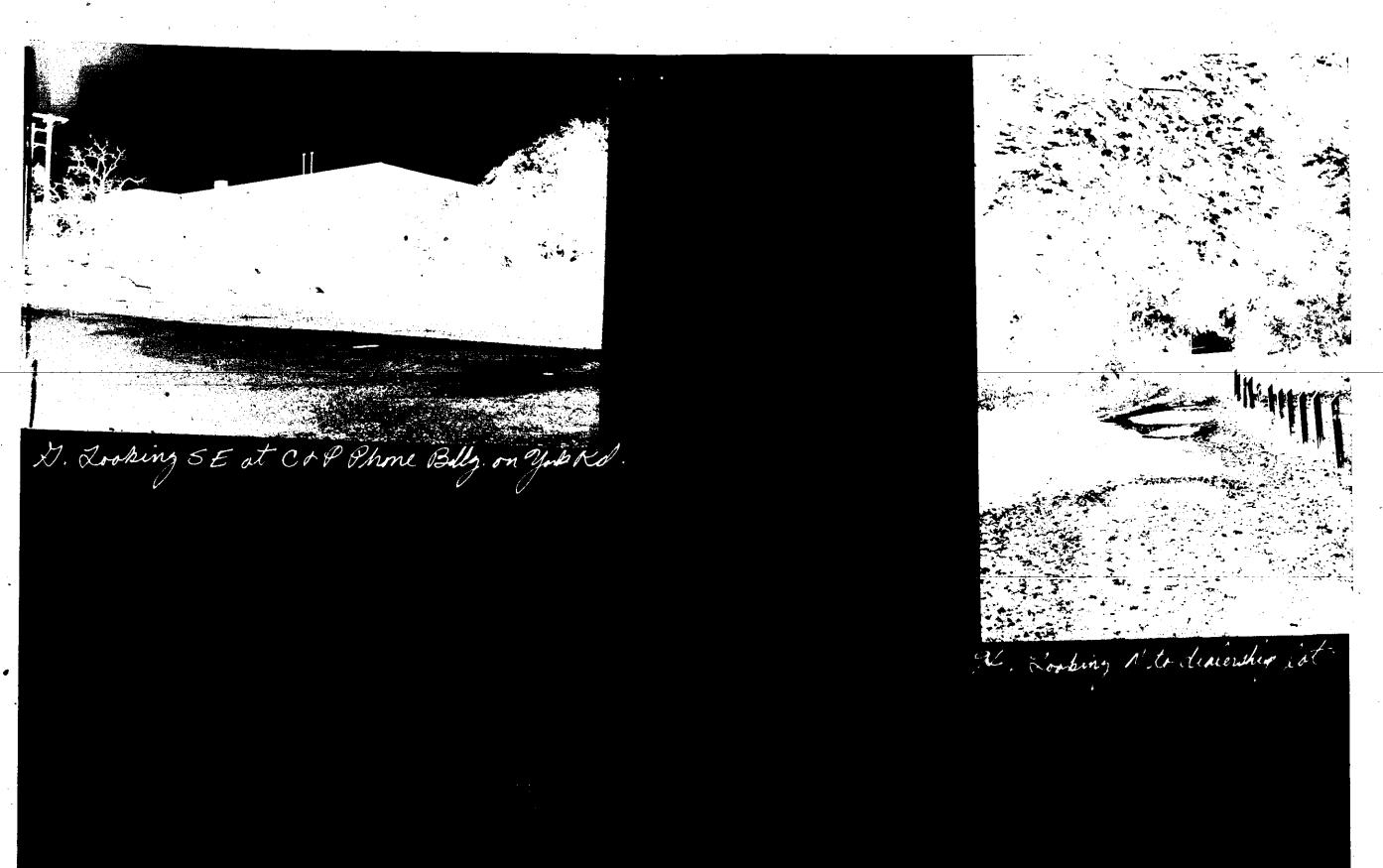
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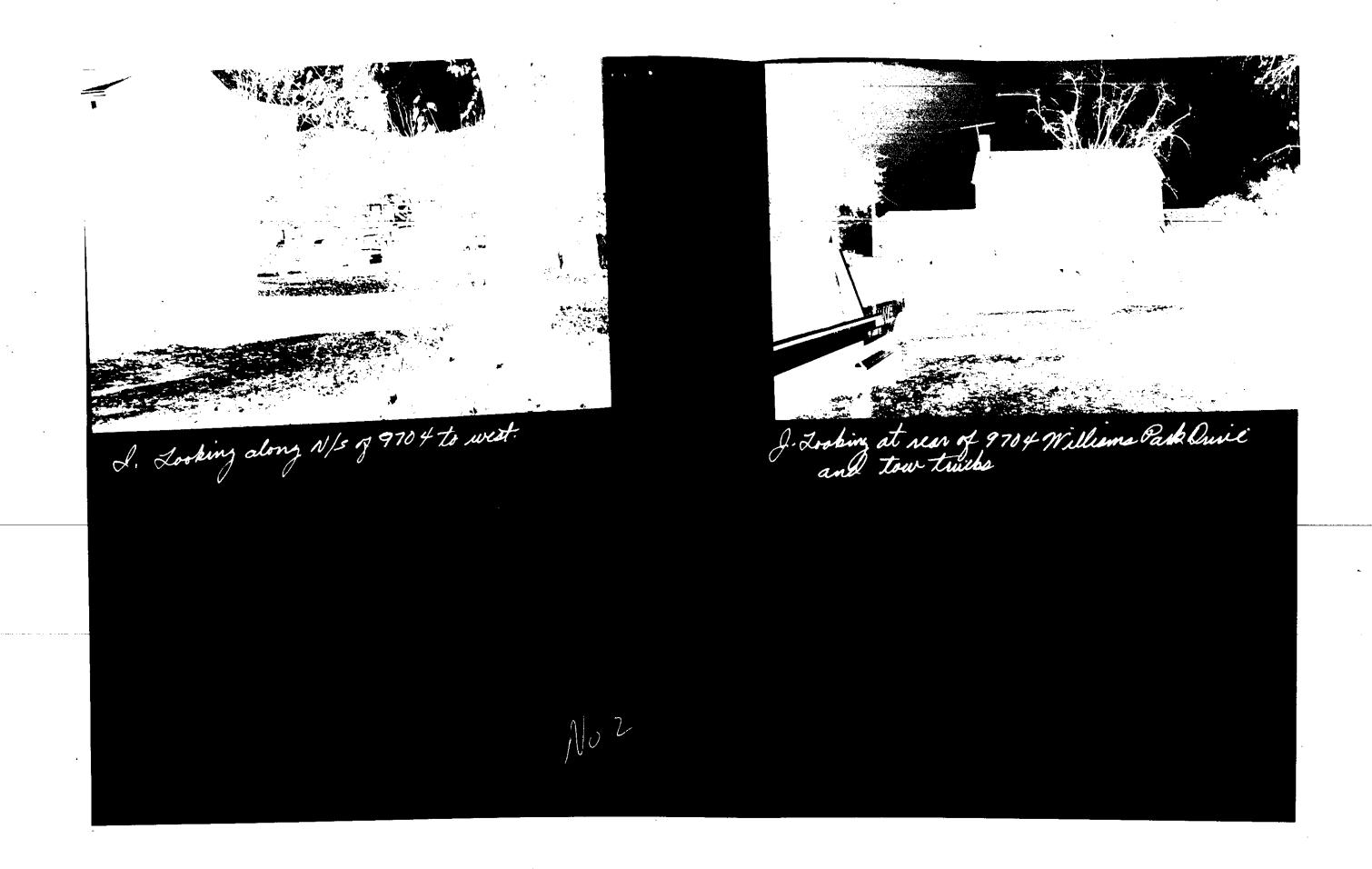
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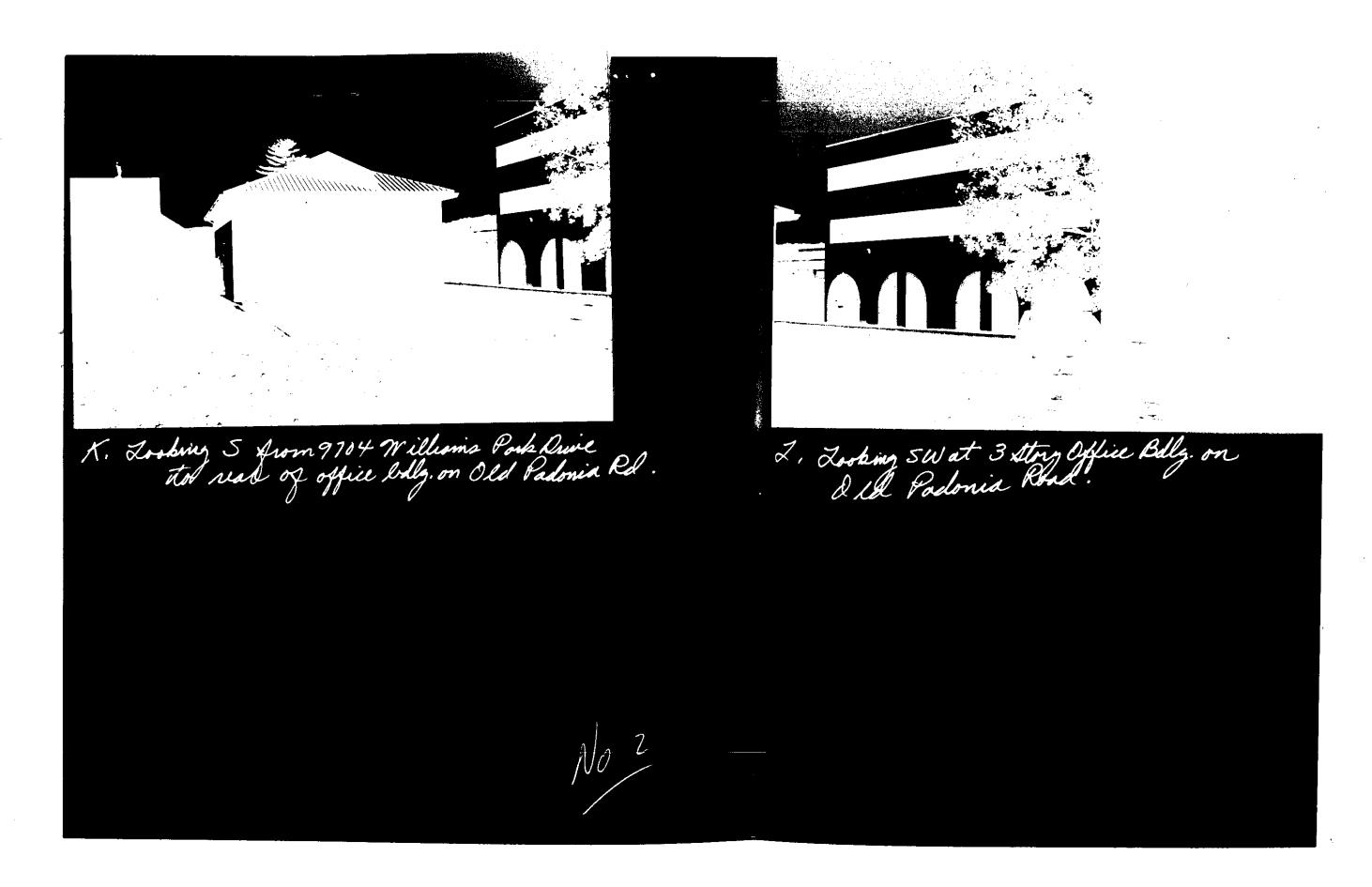




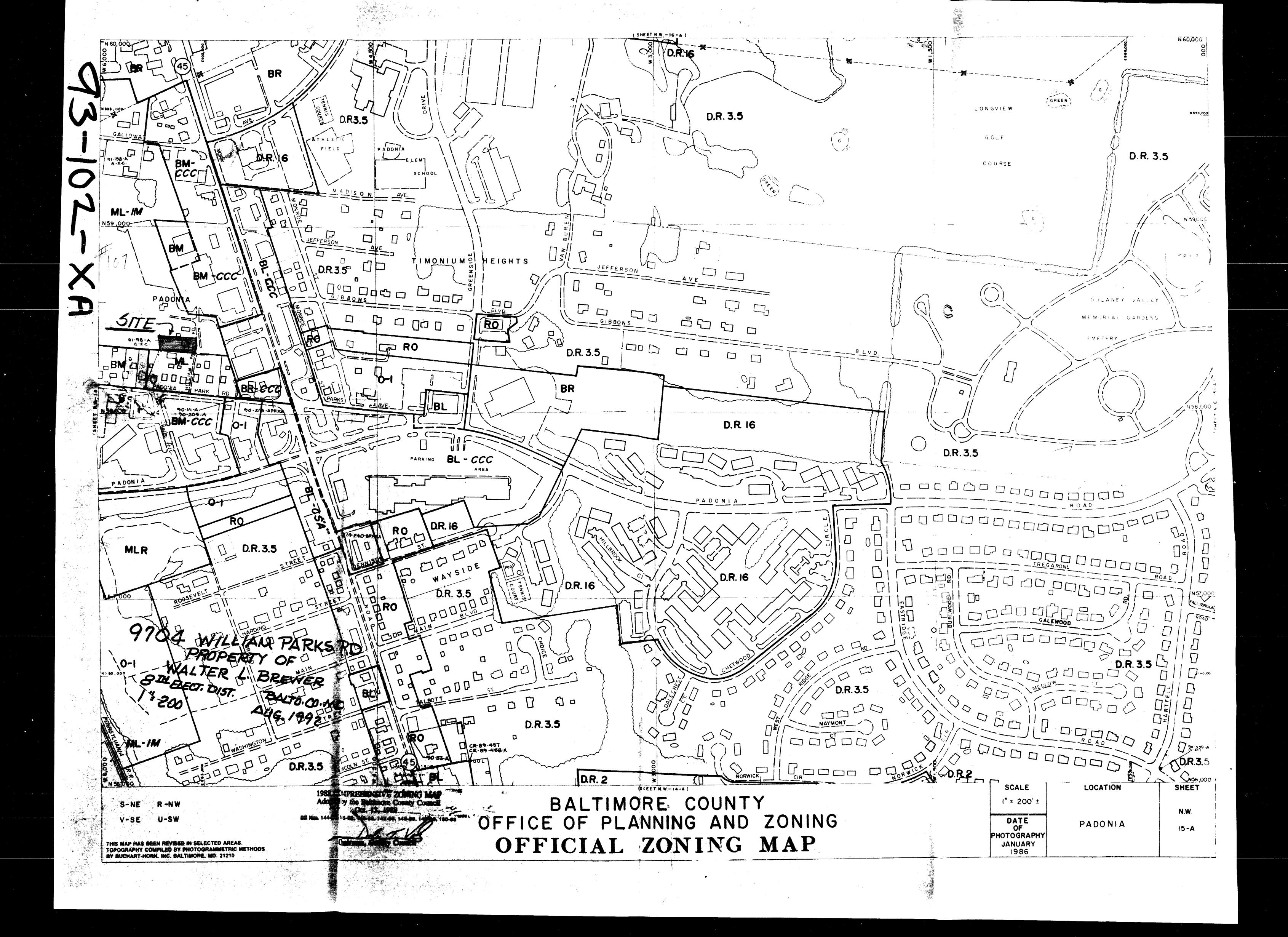














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FINDINGS OF FACT AND CONCLUSIONS OF LAW

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This matter comes before the Zoning Commissioner as a Petition for Special Exception and a Petition for Zoning Variance filed by May C. Brewer, by and through her attorney, Newton A. Williams, Esquire. The Petitioner requests approval to use the subject property as a service garage in combination with the existing office and residential uses thereon, and variance relief from Sections 409.8.A.2 and A.6, and 405.A.2 of the Baltimore County Zoning Regulations (B.C.Z.R.) to permit a crushed stone surface in lieu of the required striped, durable and dustless surface, all as more particularly described on Petitioner's Exhibit 1

Appearing on behalf of the Petitions were Walter L. Brewer, Jr., legal owner of the subject site. He was represented by Newton A. Williams, Esquire. Also appearing on behalf of the Petitions were Eugene F. Raphel, Registered Professional Land Surveyor, and Stephen Rhine, Sr. who leases the subject property. There were no Protestants.

Testimony indicated that the subject property, known as 9704 Williams Park Road, consists of 0.38 acres, more or less, zoned M.L.-I.M., and is improved with a two-story dwelling which has office space. The Petitioner filed the instant Petitions to legitimize existing conditions and uses on the property. Testimony indicated that the Petitioner purchased the property in 1977 at which time it was used as a retail outlet for swimming pools. Mr. Brewer testified that he obtained a permit for a change in occupancy in 1982 to convert a portion of the existing dwelling into office space for his plumbing business. Subsequently, he relocated his plumbing business to York Road and leased the subject property to Mr. Rhine in 1991.

Mr. Rhine testified that he resides on the property and operates a towing business from the site. He stated that he has been in the towing business since 1975 and primarily serves automobile dealerships and apartment complexes along the York Road corridor. Mr. Rhine believes that the subject property is an ideal site for his towing business due to its location and the nature of the surrounding uses. Testimony indicated that Mr. Rhine is in the process of obtaining a license from the Baltimore County Police Department to tow accident and abandoned vehicles. Mr. Rhine testified that he keeps four tow trucks on the site and that they are stored in the storage area to the rear of the dwelling. He indicated that vehicles towed to the site are kept on the rear lot for a limited period of time. Mr. Rhine stated that no body or fender work is performed on the site. He testified that the rear of the property is paved with a crushed stone surface that is well-compacted and provides good drainage. Testimony indicated that this surface is of sufficient depth to support the vehicles utilizing this site.

The Department of Public Works and the Office of Planning submitted comments as part of the Zoning Advisory Committee report. The Department of Public Works recommended that Williams Park Road be widened to a minimum width of 16 feet to accommodate the traffic generated by the use on this site and that the Petitioner erect a chain link fence around the parameter of the property. The Office of Planning recommended certain

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landscaping to screen the property from adjoining uses. In response to those comments, Mr. Rhine testified that he would rather install a wooden fence with a row of trees in lieu of the suggested chain link fence to provide screening of the subject site from adjoining properties. However, he is agreeable to whatever landscaping is proposed by the County landscape planner. Mr. Rhine further testified that Williams Park Road is only used by himself and his adjoining neighbor, James Hom, and that widening the road to the extent required by the regulations would be unreasonably burdensome. Testimony and evidence presented indicated that the subject access road is owned by Mr. Hom and is currently 15 feet wide.

In the opinion of this Zoning Commissioner, the Petitioner's request to substitute a wooden fence with trees for the recommended chain link fencing would be more aesthetically pleasing and more effective in terms of screening the property from adjoining neighbors. However, I will leave the details of the landscaping plan to the County's landscape planner. In addition, thetestimony was clear that only the Petitioner and his neighbor, Mr. Hom, use Williams Park Road, which is a private road owned by Mr. Hom. In my view, the road is of sufficient width to handle the limited traffic generated by the Petitioner's use of the property and widening of the road is not warranted.

It is clear that the B.C.Z.R. permits the use proposed in a M.L.-I.M. zone by special exception. It is equally clear that the proposed use would not be detrimental to the primary uses in the vicinity. Therefore, must be determined if the conditions as delineated in Section 502.1 are satisfied.

The Petitioner had the burden of adducing testimony and evidence which would show that the proposed use met the prescribed standards and

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requirements set forth in Section 502.1 of the E.C.Z.R. The Petitioner has shown that the proposed use would be conducted without real detriment to the neighborhood and would not adversely affect the public interest. The facts and circumstances do not show that the proposed use at the particular location described by Petitioner's Exhibit 1 would have any adverse impact above and beyond that inherently associated with such a special exception use, irrespective of its location within the zone. Schultz v. Pritts, 432 A.2d 1319 (1981).

The proposed use will not be detrimental to the health, safety, or general welfare of the locality, nor tend to create congestion in roads, streets, or alleys therein, nor be inconsistent with the purposes of the property's zoning classification, nor in any other way be inconsistent with the spirit and intent of the B.C.Z.R.

After reviewing all of the testimony and evidence presented, it appears that the special exception should be granted with certain restrictions as more fully described below.

An area variance may be granted where strict application of the zoning regulations would cause practical difficulty to the Petitioner and his property. McLean v. Soley, 270 Md. 208 (1973). To prove practical difficulty for an area variance, the Petitioner must meet the following:

> whether strict compliance with requirement would unreasonably prevent the use of the property for a permitted purpose or render conformance unnecessarily burdensome;

2) whether the grant would do substantial injustice to applicant as well as other property owners in the district or whether a lesser relaxation than that applied for would give substantial relief; and

3) whether relief can be granted in such fashion that the spirit of the ordinance will be observed and public safety and welfare secured.

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Anderson v. Bd. of Appeals, Town of Chesapeake Beach, 22 Md. App. 28

It is clear from the testimony that if the variance is granted, such use, as proposed, will not be contrary to the spirit of the B.C.Z.R. and will not result in any injury to the public good.

After due consideration of the testimony and evidence presented, it is clear that practical difficulty or unreasonable hardship will result if the relief requested is not granted. It has been established that special circumstances or conditions exist that are peculiar to the land which is the subject of this request and that the requirements from which the Petitioner seeks relief will unduly restrict the use of the land due to the special conditions unique to this particular parcel. In addition, the variance requested will not cause any injury to the public health, safety or general welfare. Further, the granting of the Petitioner's request is in strict harmony with the spirit and intent of the B.C.Z.R.

Pursuant to the advertisement, posting of the property, and public hearing on these Petitions held, and for the reasons given above, the relief requested in the special exception and variance should be granted.

THEREFORE, IT IS ORDERED by the Zoning Commissioner for Baltimore County this Movember, 1992 that the Petition for Special Exception to use the subject property as a service garage in combination with the existing office and residential uses thereon, be and is hereby GRANTED, subject to the restrictions set forth hereinafter; and

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the Petition for Zoning Variance requesting relief from Sections 409.8.A.2 and A.6, and 405.A.2 of the Baltimore County Zoning Regulations (B.C.Z.R.) to permit a stone surface in lieu of the required striped, durable and dustless surface, in accordance with Petitioner's Exhibit 1, be and is hereby GRANTED, subject to the following restrictions:

> 1) The Petitioners may apply for their building permit and be granted same upon receipt of this Order: however, Petitioners are hereby made aware that proceeding at this time is at their own risk until such time as the 30-day appellate process from this Order has expired. If, for whatever reason, this Order is reversed, the Petitioners would be required to return, and be responsible for returning, said property to its original condition.

> 2) Within thirty (30) days of the date of this Order, Petitioner shall submit a landscape plan for approval by the Deputy Director of Planning and the Landscape Planner for Baltimore County. A copy of the approved plan shall be submitted to this Office for inclusion in the case file.

3) There shall be no service garage or body and/or fender work performed on the subject site. The use of the subject property is limited to that of a towing operation with storage of a maximum of 20 vehicles at any one time.

4) When applying for any permits, the site plan and/ or landscaping plan filed must reference this case and set forth and address the restrictions of this Order.

> Zoning Commissioner for Baltimore County

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Suite 113 Courthouse 400 Washington Avenue Towson, MD 21204

November 17, 1992

(410) 887-4386

Newton A. Williams, Esquire 210 W. Pennsylvania Avenue, Suite 700 Towson, Maryland 21204

RE: PETITIONS FOR SPECIAL EXCEPTION AND ZONING VARIANCE W/S Williams Park Road, 200' N of Old Padonia Road (9407 Williams Park Road) 8th Election District - 3rd Councilmanic District May C. Brewer, et al - Petitioners Case No. 93-102-XA

Dear Mr. Williams:

Enclosed please find a copy of the decision rendered in the above-captioned matter. The Petitions for Special Exception and Zoning Variance have been granted in accordance with the attached Order.

In the event any party finds the decision rendered is unfavorable, any party may file an appeal to the County Board of Appeals within thirty (30) days of the date of this Order. For further information on filing an appeal, please contact Ms. Charlotte Radcliffe at 887-3351.

> LAWRENCE E. SCHMIDT Zoning Commissioner

> > for Baltimore County

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cc: People's Counsel



TO COM

930-102-XA Petition for Special Exception

to the Zoning Commissioner of Baltimore County for the property located at 9704 Williams Park Road

which is presently sensed MI_IM This Petition shall be filed with the Office of Zening Administration & Development Management.

The undersigned, legal owner(s) of the property situate in Saltimore County and which is described in the description and plet attached hereto and made a part hereof, hereby patition for a Special Exception under the Zoning Regulations of Baltimore County, to use the herein described property for a service garage in an MI_IM zone (in confunction with existing office and single family residence).

roperty is to be posted and advertised as prescribed by Zoning Regulations.
or we, agree to pay expenses of above Special Exception advertising, posting, etc., upon filing of this petition, and further agree to an to be bound by the zoning regulations and restrictions of Baltimore County adopted pursuant to the Zoning Law for Baltimore County
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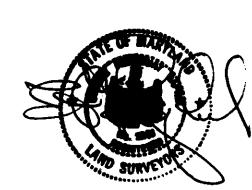
93-02-XA E. F. RAPHEL & ASSOCIATES Registered Professional Land Surveyors 205 COURTLAND AVENUE TOWSON, MARYLAND 21204

DESCRIPTION TO ACCOMPANY ZONING PETITION #9704 WILLIAM PARKS ROAD

August 25, 1992

Beginning for the same at a point on the west side of a 15' private right of way, known as William Parks Road, said point being located N 78° 03' 30" W 550' ± along the north right of way of Old Padonia Road, and N 110 56' 30" E 200' along the west side of the 15' private right of way, known as William Parks Road, from the intersection formed by the center line of York Road, and the northern right of way line of Old Padonia Road, thence leaving said 15' right of way and running the 5 following courses and distances; 1) N 78° W 178.00', 2) N 5° 13' E 84.59', 3) S 78° E 200.00', to the west side of said 15' right of way, thence on west side of said 15' right of way, 4) S 5° 13' W 56.00' and 5) S 45° 17' W 33.98' to the place of beginning.

Containing 0.38 Acres ± . Being known as #9704 Williams Parks Road.



CERTIFICATE OF POSTING SONNO DEPARTMENT OF BALTIMORE COUNTY 93-102-XA Date of Posting 10/16/02 Special Exception + Vonence May 1. Brews Location of property: 9704 Way. Pork Pd. W/s 280' N/0/1Po Lovie Riv. 10/03/12_

THIS IS TO CERTIFY, that the annexed advertisement was published in THE JEFFERSONIAN, a weekly newspaper published in Towson, Baltimore County, Md., once in each of ______ weeks, the first publication appearing on $\frac{D}{Q}$, 19 $\frac{42}{2}$

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DATE: 10/20/92

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W/S Williams Park Road (private) 200' N of Old Padonia Road at a point 550' W of York Road 9704 Williams Park Road 8th Election District - 3rd Councilmanic Petitioner(s): May C. Brewer HEARING: THURSDAY, MOVEMBER 5, 1992 at 9:00 a.m. in Rm. 118, Old Courthouse

Dear Petitioner(s):

Please be advised that \$ 99.33 is due for advertising and posting of the above captioned

THIS FEE HUST BE PAID AND THE ZONING SIGN & POST SET(S) RETURNED ON THE DAY OF THE HEARING OR THE ORDER SHALL NOT ISSUE. DO NOT REMOVE THE SIGN & POST SET(S) FROM THE PROPERTY UNTIL THE DAY OF THE HEARING.

Please forward your check vis return mail to the Zoning Office, County Office Building, 111 W. Chesspeaks Avenue, Room 109, Townon, Maryland 21204. Place the case number on the check and make same payable to Baltimore County, Haryland. In order to avoid delay of the issuence of proper credit and/or your Order, immediate attention to this matter is suggested.

Baltimore County Government Office of Zoning Administration and Development Management Office of Planning & Zoning OCT. O 1 1992

(410) 887-3353

NOTICE OF HEARING

The Zoning Commissioner of Baltimore County, by authority of the Zoning Act and Regulations of Baltimore County will hold a public hearing on the property identified herein in Room 106 of the County Office Building, 111 W. Chesapeaks Avenue in Tosson, Maryland 21204

or
Room 118, Old Courthouse, 400 Washington Avenue, Towson, Haryland 21204 as follows:

Variance to permit unstriped stone paving in lieu of the required striped, durable, dustless surface.

W/S Williams Park Road (private) 200' H of Old Padonia Road at a point 550' W of York Road 9704 Williams Park Road 8th Election District - 3rd Councilmanic Petitioner(s): Hey C. Brewer

HEARTHG: THURSDAY, MOVEMBER 5, 1992 at 9:00 a.m. in Rm. 118, 0ld Courthouse Special Exception for a service garage.

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Towson, MD 21204

NOTE: HEARINGS ARE HANDICAPPED ACCESSIBLE; FOR SPECIAL ACCOMPRIATIONS PLEASE CALL 867-3353.

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Office of Zoning Administration and Development Management Office of Planning & Zoning

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October 20, 1992

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Newton A. Williams, Esquire Nolan, Plumhoff & Williams Suite 700. Court Towers 210 W. Pennsylvania Avenue

Towson, MD 21204 RE: Item No. 107, Case No. 93-102-XA Petitioner: May C. Brewer Petition for Variance & Special Exception

Dear Mr. Williams:

The Zoning Plans Advisory Committee (ZAC) has reviewed the plans submitted with the above referenced petition. The attached comments from each reviewing agency are not intended to indicate the appropriateness of the zoning action requested, but to assure that all parties, i.e. Zoning Commissioner, attorney and/or the petitioner, are made aware of plans or problems with regard to the proposed improvements that may have a bearing on this case.

Enclosed are all comments submitted thus far from the members of ZAC that offer or request information on your petition. If additional comments are received from other members of ZAC, I will forward them to you. Otherwise, any comment that is not informative will be placed in the hearing file. This petition was accepted for filing on the date of the enclosed filing certificate and a hearing scheduled accordingly.

The following comments are related only to the filing of future zoning petitions and are aimed at expediting the petition filing process with this office.

1) The Director of Zoning Administration and Development Management has instituted a system whereby seasoned zoning attorneys who feel that they are capable of filing petitions that comply with all aspects of the zoning regulations and petitions filing requirements can file their petitions with this office without the necessity of a preliminary review by Zoning personnel.

Baltimore County Government Office of Zoning Administration and Development Management Office of Planning & Zoning

(410) 887-3353

Your petition has been received and accepted for filing this 22nd day of September, 1992.

Zoning Plans Advisory Committee

Petitioner: May C. Brewer Petitioner's Attorney: Newton A. Williams

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